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DEVICE FOR MANAGING RELOCATION OF DATA BASED
ON A CHANGE IN THE CHARACTERISTICS OF THE DATA
OVER TIME (Amended)

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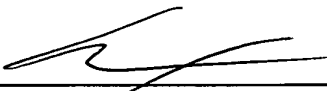
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